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UPDATED STATEMENT FROM MARION COUNTY SUPERVISOR OF ELECTIONS WESLEY WILCOX ON VOTER INFORMATION CARDS

Marion County, FL. July 6 - On Saturday afternoon, July 2, 2022, our office was notified by a voter that they received a voter information card containing an incorrect zip code (86503) for their residential address. Our team immediately started investigating the issue, then contacted the mail house that printed and mailed the cards to report and identify the scope of the problem.

As of Tuesday morning, July 5, our office had not yet determined the scope of affected records, so we began scheduling replacement voter information cards to be mailed to voters who notified our office that their card was incorrect. Tuesday afternoon, our office was alerted by voters that their voter information card contained an incorrect district number for County Commission. This additional anomaly was investigated and reported to the mail house.

On Wednesday morning, July 6, the mail house issued the <u>following statement</u> and apology to our office. This afternoon our office and the mail house have determined the scope of affected records and have begun the process of issuing corrected voter information to all affected voters.

As the Official Trusted Source of Election Information, our office understands the importance of providing accurate election information. As with any mailer or communication from our office, our team always proofs for accuracy and readability. Furthermore, we have used Quality Printing and Mailing Services for every bulk mailing since 2012 (10 years) without issue. While this is a very unfortunate situation, we understand that mistakes happen and are working with the mail house to rectify the situation.

Once again, the data we provided to the mail house was accurate and did NOT contain the incorrect zip code nor an incorrect County Commission district.

Thank you for your patience and understanding.

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